

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box → [+]

PTO/SB/08A (08-00)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO		Complete if known 586156	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (use as many sheets as necessary)		Application Number	
		Filing Date	
		First Named Inventor	
		Group Art Unit	
		Examiner Name	
Sheet	1	of	1
		Attorney Docket Number	
		0756-7774	

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials	Cite No.	U.S. Patent Document		Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY
		Number	Kind Code ² (if known)		
/A.T./		2005/0133790		Kato	06/23/2005
		2005/0134463		Yamazaki	06/23/2005
		2005/0135181		Shionoiri et al.	06/23/2005
		2005/0140495		Yamazaki et al.	06/30/2005
		2005/0141256		Yamazaki et al.	06/30/2005
/A.T./		2005/0146006		Yamazaki et al.	07/07/2005
		2005/0148121		Yamazaki et al.	07/07/2005

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document			Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		Office ²	Number ²	Kind Code ² (if known)			
/A.T./		JP	2001-155134			06/08/2001	Abst.
		JP	2003-162701			06/06/2003	Abst.
		JP	2001-143037			05/25/2001	Abst.
		JP	11-020360			01/26/1999	Abst.
		WO	2005/057658			06/23/2005	Eng.
/A.T./		WO	2005/069204			07/28/2005	Eng.
		JP	2002-183693			06/28/2002	Abst.

OTHER PRIOR ART - NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initials	Cite No.	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.		
/A.T./		International Search Report (Application No. PCT/JP2005/001037) dated May 17, 2005		
/A.T./		Written Opinion (Application No. PCT/JP2005/001037) dated May 17, 2005		

Examiner Signature	/April Taylor/	Date Considered	03/30/2009
--------------------	----------------	-----------------	------------

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.